

CLAIMS

 There are no amendments to the claims.

A complete listing of all claims ever present in this case in ascending order with status identifier is presented in a separate section.

COMPLETE LISTING OF CLAIMS
IN ASCENDING ORDER WITH STATUS INDICATOR

Claims 1-9. (Cancelled)

10. (New) An optical information recording medium having addresses t for respective sectors, on which information is recorded through application of light thereto, said recording medium being arranged such that a degree of modulation obtained, when recording of the longest record mark is made thereon at a recording speed of $V = 0.5V_{min}$, wherein V_{min} is the lowest recording speed guaranteed for the optical information recording medium, is lower than the lowest standard value of the optical information recording medium.

11. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 10, wherein:

the minimum recording speed V_{min} guaranteed for the optical information recording medium is 4 times a normal reproduction speed of a compact disk.

12. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 10, wherein:

the lowest standard value of the optical information recording medium is 0.55.

13. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 10, having a configuration in which, on a transparent substrate, a lower dielectric layer, a recording layer, an upper dielectric layer, a metal reflection layer and a protection layer.

14. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 13, wherein:

 said recording layer mainly comprises AgInTeSb.

15. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 13, wherein:

 said lower dielectric layer and upper dielectric layer mainly comprise ZnS and SiO₂.

16. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 13, wherein:

 said metal reflection layer mainly comprises A1.

17. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 10 comprises a phase-change recording medium.

18. (New) The optical information recording medium as claimed in claim 10, comprises a CD-RW.